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In order to meet the Environmental Protection Agency's submission deadline of June 1, 2010 for submitting data into the National Emission Inventory (NEI) Database, the South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control, DHEC, needs to have available on or before April 15, 2010 a qualified and highly skilled contractor to perform technical services. Included is a need for a tool to be developed to extract data from our Oracle database application titled Environmental Facility Information System, E.F.I.S., with the capability of making it compatible with the new Consolidated Emissions Reporting Schema (CERS) format.

The successful contractor must have an extensive knowledge of the Environmental Protection Agency's reporting system and CERS format emissions inventory data and DHEC's Oracle application "E.F.I.S." A complete understanding of the complexity of the emissions inventory data and CERS format is paramount in ensuring that the data is mapped and converted correctly, and that appropriate data can be substituted for fields required by the CERS format where data does not exist in the EFIS database. Some of the data elements that are required by the CERS format are not in the EFIS database. DHEC will need a tool developed that will extract the required data from the EFIS data base and will insert data into all fields required by the CERS format with the confidence that this data is appropriate.

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